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SUBJECT: USG/GOP BILATERAL TEXTILE CONSULTATIONS

REF: A) STATE 30013; B) MANILA 1465

1. FINANCE UNDERSECRETARY PIO DE RODA HAS INFORMED EMBASSY THAT MARCH 10 IS TENTATIVELY ACCEPTABLE AS STARTING DATE FOR TEXTILE DISCUSSIONS IN WASHINGTON. WASHINGTON VISIT OF PIO DE RODA IS FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSIONS WITH IBRD, WHICH PHILIPPINES IS SEEKING TO HAVE SCHEDULED FOR FIRST WEEK OF MARCH. WEEK PRECEDING OR FOLLOWING IBRD TALKS IDEAL FROM PHILIPPINE STANDPOINT FOR TEXTILE DISCUSSIONS, AND THUS, IF IBRD DATES CAN BE PINNED DOWN, MARCH 10 IS ACCEPTABLE.

2. CONCEPT OF TWO SESSIONS WILL BE COMPLETELY ACCEPTABLE TO PHILIPPINE NEGOTIATORS. DEPARTMENT SHOULD RECOGNIZE THAT PHILIPPINE PERSPECTIVE ON TWO SESSIONS DOES NOT COMPLETELY COINCIDE WITH THAT OF WASHINGTON. WHEREAS DEPARTMENTAL EMPHASIS IS ON TWO SESSIONS TO INCLUDE NEGOTIATIONS, PHILIPPINE EMPHASIS WILL BE ON TWO SESSIONS TO PROLONG
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NEGOTIATIONS, IF IT APPEARS THAT AGREEMENT ON KEY ISSUES,

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